



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Larry MANK et al.

Examiner: Nina Nmn Bhat

Serial No.: 10/071,213

Group Art Unit: 1764

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Title: DEVICE THAT COMPRISES RECYCLING TO A SEPARATOR A LIQUID  
EFFLUENT THAT IS OBTAINED FROM AN ABSORBER AND IS MIXED  
WITH A FEEDSTOCK

**REPLY**

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Sir:

In response to the Office action dated December 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.